

Consolidation of All Justice Courts Sought

A bill to consolidate all justice courts in Los Angeles county into one court is to be offered in the 1941 Legislature, it was reported this week at the Hall

of Records. Any branch of the court would have jurisdiction to hear cases involving up to \$2,000. Three of the lower class justice courts in the county—El Monte, Downey, and Whittier, recently were raised to that status, and most of the justice courts now are of that status.

National Guard Opportunities Told by Allen

As result of a number of inquiries at the Torrance headquarters of Selective Service Board No. 280 which serves a large portion of Gardena and adjacent territory, concerning the present status of the National Guard, period of enlistment, where drills are held and pay, the following information was released this week. It is based on contents of a letter to the draft board from Col. Wayne R. Allen, commander of the 160th Infantry, California National Guard. The enlistment period in the Guard is for three years, subject to provisions of Federal law that the National Guard may be ordered into active Federal service any time for one year between now and June 1, 1942. Drills are held each Monday night. In addition, drills are held one Sunday a month and schools are held on the first and third Fridays for all officers and all enlisted men who wish to become officers or non-commissioned officers.

Promotion Made Easier

The pay for the drill runs from \$1 for privates per drill, \$1.40 for corporals, \$1.80 for sergeants to \$4.80 for master sergeants. The main consideration, says Col. Allen, for enlistment in the National Guard is that a man may better serve his country, as well as himself, by enlistment now and becoming partially trained before induction.

"As this regiment is destined to train selective service men, those who are in the National Guard will naturally be the instructors of the newer men and therefore in a better position to acquire promotion," Col. Allen stated.

ELECTED PRESIDENT

Mrs. G. A. Carvill, secretary of Narbonne P. T. A., has been elected president to succeed Mrs. V. H. Taylor who is moving to Berkeley. Mrs. S. C. Murray was elected secretary to succeed Mrs. Carvill.

Santa Claus to Deliver Many New Fords



The ideal Christmas present is a new car. Happy old Kris Kringle explains to a young couple details of a special Holiday trading plan now in effect at the local Ford dealership, which reduces costs to within the range of many family Christmas budgets. As a result of the unusual plan, the local dealer expects to deliver many of the big new 1941 Fords, like the Super Deluxe sedan above, to family homes here on Christmas Morning. The gift cars will be lavishly decorated with traditional holiday wrappings. New, lower prices on some models, making Ford the lowest priced of any leading volume-selling car, have also been effected, it was revealed.

New License Plates Among First Items on Motorists' List in 1941

Obtaining new license plates should be listed on the motorists' calendar as one of the first duties of the new year. The annual renewal period opens as usual on the morning of Jan. 2 and will continue until midnight, February 4.

The State Motor Vehicle department will maintain a branch office in Torrance during that period at 1324 El Prado. License procedure will follow the customary pattern. You merely present your 1940 registration certificate, which you should be carrying in your car, with the total amount of license fees to the State Division of

Registration office. Your 1940 automobile registration slip carries the total of the license fees you must pay in the lower left hand corner. The State Department of Motor Vehicles has adopted this practice to avoid the mailing of post-card notices to more than two and three-quarter million California car owners. It is estimated that this change from the former mailing method represents a saving of more than \$70,000 yearly.

1000 Business Cards \$1.25, cash in advance. Torrance Herald and Lomita News.

The Sure Way

Don't put off 'til tomorrow what you should do today. You can sell that house, rent that apartment or sell anything you don't want for cash.

There are ready buyers with ready cash waiting. Contact them the SURE WAY—through a classified Ad in the Torrance Herald-Lomita News.

FLU ABATING

The flu still holds the center of the stage but has been less severe. Among the families recovering are the M. C. Woods family, all of whom were quite ill and the Rev. and Mrs. Urban Hall.

State Fair Tops in Attendance

SACRAMENTO. —(UP)—The California state fair retained its leadership as the largest of its kind in the nation with an attendance of 713,625, Secretary-Manager Kenneth Hammaker said this week upon returning from the convention of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions in Chicago.

The Minnesota state fair was second largest with 680,000. A

LOVE IS LIKE THAT

Me love had flew
Her did me dirt
Me never knew
Her was a flirt
To those in love
Let I forbid
Lest they be do'd
Like I been did!

major discussion topic was admission prices and Hammaker said the California fair was studying a proposal that the 50 cents admission be reduced to 25 cents, with passes eliminated.

LAST MINUTE GIFTS

For Every Purse and Person

CANDY....

You'll want some for the children, to make it an honest-to-goodness Christmas, and some for the tree, and, of course, a lot for gifts. And Beacon is the place to get just what you want. Our selection is complete from 25c to \$3.00.

- WHITMAN'S
- MISS SAYLOR'S
- CHRISTOPHER'S

PERFUME....

We've especially designed our perfume bar for thoughtful Santas who want their many gifts to be—Neat and Nice—Pretty and Usual—In good taste and inexpensive.

Perfume - Cologne - Sachet Balls - Atomizers
25c to \$1.00

CHRISTMAS CARDS....

There's still time to send cards most anywhere in the country. If you've forgotten any-one or haven't started yet see our selection.

Fresh stocks.....from 1c to 25c

BEACON DRUG CO.

LESLIE L. PRINCE, Prop.
The Rexall Store WE GIVE S. N. GREEN STAMPS
GRAMERCY and CABRILLO PHONE 180

You Can't Go Wrong With these LAST MINUTE GIFTS

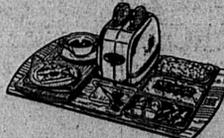
LEVY'S, . . . Feature Nationally Advertised Merchandise, . . . of Proven Quality and Sold at the Same Prices EVERYWHERE! And Remember Levy's offer you 90 days to pay in Convenient Payments - without carrying charges.

Gifts for HER

- FUR JACKETS and CHUBBIES..... \$29.50 to \$89.50
- Velvux LUXITE ROBES by Holeproof..... \$5.95
- KAYSER Silk Gowns, Slips, Dance Sets, Pajamas \$1.95 up
- SLACK SUITS, all colors and fabrics..... \$2.98 to \$9.98
- PAJAMAS, Flannellette and Angel's Down..... \$1.95
- SWEATERS, New Knits, Coat Style, Long or Short Sleeves..... \$1.95 to \$3.95
- CHEVILLE ROBES, with zippers..... Special \$2.98
- House and Boudoir SLIPPERS..... \$1.25 to \$2.50
- HOSIERY by Holeproof and Phoenix..... 79c-\$1-\$1.25
- CANNON TOWEL Gift Sets..... 75c to \$2.50
- SCARFS, Colorful and Gifty..... \$1.00
- HANDBAGS, Luxury styled, latest shapes..... \$1.98 to \$2.98
- EVENING BAGS, Silver and Gold Mesh..... \$1.95 and \$2.95
- HANDKERCHIEFS, 3-in-a-box..... 35c to \$1.00 box
- EVENING SWEATERS, sparkling with sequins..... \$2.98
- QUILTED ROBES, lovely and warm..... \$4.95 to \$7.95



- RADIO \$6.95 to \$79.50
- PILLOW CASE SETS, Hand Embroidered 50c to \$1.95
- SLIP-COVERS for Overstuffed CHAIRS, Davenport..... \$2.95 to \$7.95
- END TABLES..... \$3.95
- OCCASIONAL TABLES..... \$6.95 to \$16.50
- PLATFORM ROCKERS..... \$16.50 to \$34.50
- Electric WAFFLE SETS..... \$5.95
- OCCASIONAL CHAIRS..... \$9.95 to \$34.50



- Toastmasters \$9.95
- Toastmaster Sets to \$24.95



- BLANKETS \$1.95 to \$12.50
- FIREPLACE SCREENS..... \$3.95 to \$5.95
- SMOKING STANDS..... \$1.95 to \$3.50
- FARBERWARE Aluminum Trays Serving Pieces..... \$1.25 to \$3.95
- Electric PERCOLATORS..... \$2.95 to \$6.95
- Electric IRONS..... \$1.95 to \$7.95
- Hersey's GLASSWARE..... 70c to \$2.75
- COFFEE and OCCASIONAL TABLES..... \$3.95 to \$16.50
- HASSOCKS..... \$1.69 to \$3.50
- BOUDOIR LAMPS..... \$1.25 to \$3.95

Gifts for HIM

- HOUSE SLIPPERS, every new style..... \$1.25 to \$3.95
- 100% WOOL SLACK SOX by Holeproof or Phoenix, all colors..... 50c
- SILK SOX by Holeproof or Phoenix..... 35c - 50c
- 50% WOOL SOX, Smart New Patterns..... 35c
- COOPER'S JOCKEY SHORTS for Men..... 50c
- SWEATERS for Men, Big Assortment..... \$2.95 to \$6.95
- LEATHER JACKETS for Men..... \$5.95 to \$12.50
- HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS..... \$35.00
- WORSTED-TEX SUITS, Smart New Patterns..... \$35.00
- MANCHESTER SUITS for Men, Big Values..... \$25.00
- TOP COATS, a warm gift men will like..... \$17.95
- JARMAN'S FRIENDLY FIVE SHOES for Men..... \$5.00
- ARROW HANDKERCHIEF SETS..... 59c to \$1.00
- SWANK WALLETS, all leather..... \$1.00 and \$1.50
- SWANK Comb, Brush and Manicure Sets..... \$1.00
- SWANK Tie Clasp and Collar Clasp Sets..... \$1.00
- SWANK Key Chains, in Gift Boxes..... \$1.00
- SPORT SHIRTS for Men, All Types..... \$1.29 to \$5.95
- BATH ROBES for Men, All Kinds..... \$2.95 to \$7.50
- ALL WOOL LOAFER JACKETS for Men, Big Variety..... \$5.95
- SPORT SLACK TROUSERS, wool gabardines \$5.95 to \$7.50
- GLOVES for Dress or Driving, lined and unlined \$1.25 to \$3.95
- TIE and HANDKERCHIEF SETS, very smart..... \$1.00
- ARROW TIES, wrinkle-free..... \$1.00
- CHENEY CRAVATS, luxurious colors..... \$1.00
- HOLLYVOGUE TIES, Style leaders..... \$1.00
- ARROW SHIRTS, in new Morley Stripes..... \$2.00
- B.V.D. Robe and Pajama Ensembles..... \$5.00
- B.V.D. PAJAMAS, all the new styles..... \$2.00
- B.V.D. Rayon Robes, Gift Boxed..... \$8.00
- PARIS Glass-tex SUSPENDERS..... \$1.00

Gifts for Boys and Girls

- Girl's TAFFETA DRESSES, sizes 2 to 6..... \$1.98
- Girl's SILK DRESSES..... \$2.98 to \$3.95
- Children's SWEATERS..... \$1.19 to \$1.95
- Boys' KAYNEE SPORT SHIRTS..... \$1.00
- Boys' PARIS SUSPENDERS..... 50c
- Boys' COOPER JOCKEY SHORTS..... 35c
- Children's HOUSE SLIPPERS..... 85c to \$1.95
- Children's PHOENIX SOCKS..... 25c



Make Her Christmas Gay With . . .

PHOENIX Vita-Bloom HOSIERY In Smart Gift Boxes
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Here indeed is a sure-hit gift. No girl or woman ever has enough hose . . . and you can't go wrong if you pick from the new Personality Colors in PHOENIX Vita-Bloom Hosiery. Our sales ladies will gladly advise the gentlemen shoppers as to proper shades, sizes, etc.

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